

Call **TODAY** for free, personalized resources for providers and families.

Help Me Grow Indiana is a service for anyone who influences the life of a young child.

## Help Me Grow – Indiana: Information for Families

- > The mission of HMG-Indiana is to promote optimal development of Indiana's young children.
- ➤ HMG Indiana isn't an agency, but a partnership based on a national model for organizing existing agencies with the goal of more efficiently and effectively reaching and helping children.
- HMG-Indiana is housed at the Indiana State Department of Health, and utilizes the MOMS Helpline's phone system in connection with Indiana 211's resource database.

## Help Me Grow is here for your family!

Help Me Grow – Indiana can offer numerous benefits to your family:

- Free, standardized developmental screening: HMG-Indiana can work with you to provide standardized developmental screening. This screening will track how your child is reaching milestones in how he plays, learns, speaks, acts, and moves. HMG will use the Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ), for children ages 0-65 months (approx. 5.5 years).
- ➤ General Child developmental questions: All parents have questions. HMG exists to link families to those resources and answers that will help families grow and thrive. Remember, you are your child's best advocate and HMG is here to support you!
- Link to resources: HMG exists to ensure that every child and family have every possible opportunity to meet their families' goals. HMG can connect you to local resources.
- ➤ HMG can be your advocate! HMG will not only provide resources, they will follow up with you to make sure that they were appropriate and accessible. The care coordinators will reach out to other providers in your network if needed. They will also be your advocate if a resource is difficult to navigate.

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